

# SENATE . . . . . No. 1583

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

**Scott P. Brown**

*To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:*

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to the unsealing of records

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Brown, Scott (SEN)	Norfolk, Bristol and Middlesex
Mr. Hedlund	Plymouth and Norfolk
Mr. Knapik	Second Hampden and Hampshire
Mr. Tarr	First Essex and Middlesex
Mr. Tisei	Middlesex and Essex
Todd M. Smola	1st Hampden
Richard J. Ross	9th Norfolk

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE SENATE, NO. S00817 OF 2007-2008.]

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**In the Year Two Thousand and Nine**

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### **AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE UNSEALING OF RECORDS.**

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

1           SECTION 1. Section 100A of chapter 276 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006  
2   Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the word “court”, in line 69, the following  
3   words:- a victim wishing to obtain information on a sex offense, as defined in section 178C of  
4   chapter 6, committed against them when said victim was a juvenile at the time of the offense  
5   committed by an offender who was an adult at such time.